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AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

The Final Office Action dated November 10, 2008 has been received and carefully reviewed. Please revise the above-identified patent application as indicated below. Entry of this Amendment is respectfully requested.

Since January 10, 2009 was a Saturday, it is submitted that this Amendment is being timely filed within two months of the Final Office Action dated November 10, 2008.